

**Table B-70. R&D expenditures at university-administered federally funded research and development centers, by character of work: fiscal years 1953-2000**

[Dollars in millions]

Fiscal year	Total	Character of work			
		Basic research		Applied research and development	
		Amount	Percent of total	Amount	Percent of total
1953 .....	121	33	27.3	88	72.7
1954 .....	141	39	27.7	102	72.3
1955 .....	180	49	27.2	131	72.8
1956 .....	194	51	26.3	143	73.7
1957 .....	240	65	27.1	175	72.9
1958 .....	293	78	26.6	215	73.4
1959 .....	338	92	27.2	246	72.8
1960 .....	360	97	26.9	263	73.1
1961 .....	410	115	28.0	295	72.0
1962 .....	470	136	28.9	334	71.1
1963 .....	530	159	30.0	371	70.0
1964 .....	629	191	30.4	438	69.6
1965 .....	629	208	33.1	421	66.9
1966 .....	630	227	36.0	403	64.0
1967 .....	673	250	37.1	423	62.9
1968 .....	719	276	38.4	443	61.6
1969 .....	725	275	37.9	450	62.1
1970 .....	737	269	36.5	468	63.5
1971 .....	716	260	36.3	456	63.7
1972 .....	753	244	32.4	509	67.6
1973 .....	817	296	36.2	521	63.8
1974 .....	865	390	45.1	475	54.9
1975 .....	987	439	44.5	548	55.5
1976 .....	1,147	512	44.6	635	55.4
1977 .....	1,384	600	43.4	784	56.6
1978 <sup>1</sup> .....	1,717	--	--	--	--
1979 .....	1,935	1,022	52.8	913	47.2
1980 .....	2,246	1,132	50.4	1,114	49.6
1981 .....	2,486	1,270	51.1	1,216	48.9
1982 .....	2,479	1,327	53.5	1,152	46.5
1983 .....	2,737	1,484	54.2	1,253	45.8
1984 .....	3,150	1,690	53.6	1,461	46.4
1985 .....	3,523	1,765	50.1	1,758	49.9
1986 .....	3,895	1,876	48.2	2,018	51.8
1987 .....	4,206	2,033	48.3	2,173	51.7
1988 .....	4,531	2,245	49.6	2,285	50.4
1989 .....	4,730	2,352	49.7	2,377	50.3
1990 .....	4,832	2,428	50.2	2,404	49.8
1991 .....	5,078	2,595	51.1	2,484	48.9
1992 .....	5,247	2,843	54.2	2,404	45.8
1993 .....	5,295	2,938	55.5	2,357	44.5
1994 .....	5,271	2,998	56.9	2,273	43.1
1995 .....	5,363	2,742	51.1	2,622	48.9
1996 .....	5,380	2,580	48.0	2,800	52.0
1997 .....	5,440	2,683	49.3	2,757	50.7
1998 .....	5,531	2,636	47.7	2,895	52.3
1999 .....	5,644	2,732	48.4	2,912	51.6
2000 .....	5,675	2,863	50.5	2,812	49.5

<sup>1</sup> Separate data for basic research and applied research and development were not collected for fiscal year 1978.

**KEY:** -- = not available

**NOTE:** Because of rounding, detail may not add to totals.

**SOURCE:** National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, Survey of Research and Development Expenditures at Universities and Colleges, Fiscal Year 2000